



## DRIVERS WOULD STOP WEDDING.

**Chicago Strikers Turn From Funerals to Scenes of Joy.**

**So Troublesome That Guests Have to Call in Police.**

**Illegal to Make Work "Uncomfortable". Electrical Workers Fined.**

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Peace in the strike of the livery drivers met new delays today. Further than the adoption of a resolution providing for submission of the disputed questions to arbitration by the drivers, no move for peace was made by either side. The executive committee of the livery owners met this morning at Liberty Hall, and it was said that they were waiting for a formal communication from the drivers but up to 2 o'clock no communication had been received. President Hagan of the Drivers' Union announced that during the day a committee would be sent to the owners, bearing official announcement of the desires of the union men.

Members of the Liverymen's Association expressed themselves as not disposed to submit their differences to a board selected by the drivers. They would not say, however, that the move made by the union might not result in negotiations toward a settlement. Later, Organiser Young of the International Union, and Harvey Edgeron of the employers arranged for a conference, which it was thought might promote a settlement.

Undertakers reported to the meeting that carriages and hearses were being sent out for funerals all over the city, wherever non-union men could be secured, but no reports of violence were made.

A ball at the Chicago Beach Hotel and a fashionable Hyde Park wedding took place tonight, with heavy guards of police protecting the carriages. Striking pickets on the rolls of the Livery Drivers' Union attempted to break up the dance and to mar the pleasure of the guests at the wedding.

W. A. White, a liverymen, drove one of his own carriages to the dance. As it halted before the house, where the drivers were gathered, three men appeared and asked if he had signed the scale. White told them he had not. The men then attacked him and he drew a revolver and drove them off. At the Highley wedding pickets went among the drivers, demanding to see their cards. The answer in the majority of cases was in the negative, and a number of fights took place. Other pickets began to appear several blocks from the house and attempted to stop on-coming carriages. They became so boisterous that one of the guests telephoned for police protection, and the patrolmen remained on guard through the evening.

**ILLEGAL TO MAKE WORK "UNCOMFORTABLE."**

**COURT TELLS STRIKERS TRUTH ABOUT NIGHT DENIED.**

**Silk Mill Employees Show No Mercy, but Instead, Are Ordered to Pay Heavy Costs of Dragging Case Through Courts.**

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Vice-Chancellor Pitney denied an appeal for mercy in Jersey City today for the strikers of the Frank and Dugan silk mills in Paterson, including two men and six girls, who were found guilty of contempt of court by him in the summer of 1908. The contempt lay in the disregard of the court's injunction, forbidding the strikers from negotiating with the employees of Frank and Dugan, or to "make it uncomfortable" for those who desired to work. The case was carried to the Court of Appeals, and the United States Supreme Court, which held that it had no jurisdiction. An appeal was then made unsuccessfully to the Court of Pardons.

The defendants also were ordered by the Chancery Court to pay costs, amounting to \$500. The court reiterated with emphasis that it is illegal to make it "uncomfortable" for anybody who wishes to work.

"That is the law of the land," said

**POPE'S NOTE ON SACRED MUSIC.**

**Strongly Favors Gregorian Chant and Persists Gets His Orders.**

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—

ROME, Dec. 28.—[By Atlantic Cable.] After a long discussion with experts, principally with the famous composer Abbe Perrot, director of the Sistine choir, the Pope has issued a note on the subject of sacred music in the churches. In this note, which appears tonight in the *Observatore Romano*, His Holiness formulates rules for church music which recall the churches to a strict observance of the instructions issued by former pontiffs. The Pope condemns the transformation of liturgical music into compositions for use at

The Pontiff is strongly in favor of the Gregorian chant, and has ordered the Abbe Perrot to compose a Gregorian mass for the centenary of St. Gregory the Great, next Easter.

**English Furnace Workers Cut.**

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the court. "It has always been the law of the land, and it always will be."

**Sheet Steel Plants Resume.**

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 28.—Notices were sent out today from the headquarters of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers that the vote of the sheet judges to propose a reduction in the wage scale 10 per cent. has been accepted. The new rate will go into effect on January 1, and it is believed that decision will stand in the starting next Monday of a large number of union sheet steel plants that have been in use for a long time.

**HERALD LABOR TROUBLE.**

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In the Supreme Court today, denied the applications of Louis Quanchi and Charles Bailes, respectively foreman and assistant foreman of the stereotyping department of the New York Herald, for a permanent injunction against the New York Stereotypers' Union, No. 1, from interfering in any way with their employment in the Herald or from securing their discharge or from preventing the members of the defendant organization from working for the Herald. The plaintiffs, who have been employed for nearly 10 years by the Herald, had asked the court to issue an order restoring them to membership in the defendant union.

A stereotypist named Frei was discharged from the Herald and he made charges to the union against Quanchi and Bailes as responsible for this, the result being that both were dismissed from the union. The stereotypers' organization then sued the Herald, according to the plaintiffs, the union. Quanchi and Bailes were discharged by the Herald and Bailes was suspended from his union until after the courts had passed upon the merits of the case.

The court holds that the men's relations with the union make them amenable to its jurisdiction, and that the court cannot interfere, and suggests that the plaintiffs can appeal to the general 10th, with which the local union is affiliated, which would be held as a condition precedent to the right of maintaining an action to invoke the aid of the court of equity.

**UNION THUGS THREATEN.**

TO "BEAT UP" WORKMAN.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "We demand that you work in the plant," said a thug to a man who told me if I did not obey, some "outsider" would cripple me or "beat me up."

This testimony today was made by Gus Anderson, a witness in the hearing of the application for an injunction restraining striking union men from interfering with the business of the Piano and Organ Supply Company. Anderson said from fifty to two hundred pickets were stationed near the plant to intimidate the workmen, and two young women were recently threatened.

**FINED FOR ATTACK ON HEARSE.**

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Norman Larson today was fined \$100 by Justice Dooley for his attack on a hearse Sunday afternoon.

The efforts of many friends of Larson and the piano made by his mother were a severe reprisal to the fine. Later, Mrs. Larson went to Inspector Wheeler and tried to arouse his sympathy in her son's behalf.

"Take that union button off your son and put him at honest work, and he will be much better off than attempting to stop funeral processions," the inspector told her.

**GUIDE OF CONSPIRACY.**

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Six members of the electrical workers' union were today found guilty of charges of conspiracy before Judge McEwen in the criminal court and all of them were fined. The indictments were returned by the grand jury some time ago in connection with an alleged plot to keep workers out of the jurisdiction of the court to prevent the men from testifying against Harry L. Pelkus and John Gallagher, J. B. Wilson, James Armstrong, Charles L. White, John H. Mahonev and William Cliff, all members of the electrical workers' union, were fined \$300 and costs each. J. T. Kingsbury was fined \$100 and costs. All the fines were paid and the men allowed to go.

Harry Pelkus, who was formerly a clerk in the office of the Clerk of the Criminal Court, was remanded to the County Jail to serve three years.

Pelkus was accused of falsifying the records to show that Gallagher, an alleged "professional singer," who had been held to the grand jury, had been discharged. The union officials were accused of having paid Pelkus to "fix" the records.

**SOUTHERN MILL PRODUCTS.**

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

CHARLOTTE (N. C.), Dec. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The indications now are that the coming year will be one of the most prosperous that Southern yards and cloth mills have ever experienced. The decree of fashion has gone forth that white goods shall be worn in preference to various colored goods and cloths other than cotton which have been in vogue for some time.

"Perhaps the strongest reason for expecting a big year for yarns is found in the rapidly-growing demand for such products, which is now almost outstripping the capacity of the mills to keep up with. Conditions are almost opposite from what they were four years ago, when there was such a glut of yards in the market that buyers were hard to be found at any price. Now there is a general indication of a ready market and prices are rapidly climbing the scale, and advances of several cents are already noted.

"At this early date buyers are looking out for cotton goods and cloth and yarns for the fall trade of the coming year, summer trade having already been provided for, and white fabrics of Southern mills are in great demand in the North and at other centers of jobbing and wholesale trade."

**One Lone Jurymen to Far.**

GEORGETOWN (Colo.), Dec. 28.—Just before court adjourned this evening the defense offered to accept the Jurymen then in the box. The prosecutor, however, would not agree to it. So far, only one man has been accepted by both sides.

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## Los Angeles Daily Times.

## CRISIS IS EXTREME IN SANTO DOMINGO.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—

SANTO DOMINGO, Dec. 28.—[Wired from Chicago Dec. 28.] The situation here is extremely critical. The provisional President, Gen. Morales, is absent from the city and the provisional Minister of Foreign Affairs in terror has resigned, as a consequence of which the Council of Ministers is incomplete.

Shored that she cannot give proper protection to the American and other foreign interests. United States Minister Powell has been requested to call a meeting of the diplomatic and commercial corps for the purpose of taking measures to protect foreign lives and property.

**TWO REVOLUTIONS.**

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The State Department today received the following dispatch from Minister Powell regarding the progress of the revolution in Santo Domingo:

"Another revolution at Asua and at Bahoruca, with another provisional government there. This makes two revolutions and two governments. The American gunboat Newport is the only warship here, and it is

will be necessary by the new tunnel.

One of the primary objects of boring is to prevent the Harriman system from hauling Washington wheat gathered by the Oregon Railway and Navigation line in Eastern Washington down the Columbia to Portland and thence to Tacoma at lower cost per ton than the Northern Pacific. Two weeks ago Harriman announced that in a year the Union Pacific will enter California, probably over the Northern Pacific from Portland. The Puget Sound millers and exporters will demand increased rates on wheat brought from Eastern Washington via Portland, namely, the same rates as apply to Portland and Astoria, hence the necessity of the Northern Pacific grade reduction.

**TO INSPECT MERRILL'S CORPSE.**

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The people of this city and its environs have been in the habit of exploding fireworks and bombs during the Christmas season. This year, however, the police authorities forbade the use of dynamite. The people of the city, however, continued the defiance of the authorities and while they were preparing the bombs the dynamite exploded. The result was that twelve persons were killed and many injured.

**HANNAKAR CANTON LINE.**

AMERICANS GET ONE-HALF.

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—

LONDON, Dec. 28.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The Standard's Brussels correspondent says that the United States and Belgian interests in the Hanakar and Canton Railroad have signed an agreement by which the interests will be separated and the railway divided into two sections, the Belgians to control the northern section and the Americans the southern. The board of directors will be composed of Belgians and Americans in equal proportion.

**EXPOSES GETS CUT-OFF FRANCHISE.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 28.—Today the Board of Supervisors finally passed the bill granting to the Southern Pacific Company a fifty-year franchise to build and maintain the new cut-off known as the Bay Shore line. While the cut-off will not immediately pay its road makes some return in the way of constructing bridges and elevated roadways, widening and paving streets and settling claims of property owners for damages without resort to litigation.

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BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—

REDDING, Dec. 28.—John C. Lyle, a miner, also known as Quinn, shot and killed Frank Savage, a miner, near Carrville, Trinity County, Saturday afternoon, in a quarrel over a trade, a few minutes after threatening to shoot Jim Wright, a miner, because Wright at first declined a proffered drink. To escape lynching, Lyle was rushed by the officers to the Trinity county jail at Weaverville, where he is now, either in solitary confinement or in simulation insanity.

Savage and James Ursher were traveling in a buggy. Lyle carried a roll of blankets on his back and a shotgun on his shoulder. A trade was struck in which Savage was to give a watch and a small sum of money to boot for Lyle's shotgun. The discussion of the trade continued until Lyle drove up to the home of James Gillette, a distance of 100 yards, to borrow the "boot" money for Savage. When Ursher returned Lyle was in the act of raising his shotgun and he fired, sending a charge of large shot crashing through Savage's body, causing instant death.

**AT NEW YORK HOTELS.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Waldorf, H. M. Russell.

**Restaurants.**

**Imperial Cafe...**

W. C. ZINKAND, Prop.

242 S. BROADWAY

142 S. SPRING

Music during lunch, dinner and evening.

**QUICK SERVICE VENTILATION COMFORT**

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BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.

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LATIONIST BEATEN.

Newfoundland Shows  
atives Still Favor, by Small  
City, Rule of France.ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.  
DODGE (IN P.M.) Dec. 28.—The  
S. Pierre and Miquelon for  
atives of the French Cham-  
Deputies resulted today in the  
M. Legrasse, who is small  
over M. Fremont, who, it is  
in favor of the annex-  
the colony to the United States.  
Gauze represented the fishery  
the small majority is looked upon  
evidence of the extent of the  
dissatisfaction with existing  
riots took place last week at  
and Miquelon as the result  
caused by the com-  
failure of the French fisheries  
Bank during the sea-ITALIAN BAND.  
ard's tonight the Royal  
midwinter season, a mixed  
selections including numbers  
of the classics. An ob-  
to and a trumpet solo by the  
tener, Russo, will sing in

loads of

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let us help you so  
one of the new04 STYLES  
OLE AGENCYLETT 233-235 So.  
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Opposite City HallMen's Shoes  
in VarietyThe styles are only a part  
of the variation. Leather  
another part. Too shapes  
and heel heights  
make more variety.The only thing you  
want find is a poor  
kind—not a bad style,  
not an inferior leather,  
not an ill shape,  
no slumped work-  
manship. Every pair  
is the kind we are  
offered to indoor—from  
\$10 to \$100.Wetherby-Kayser  
Shoe Co.Angeles Shop, 215 S. Broadway  
Main Shop, 19 E. ColoradoOptical Co.  
365 Spring St.\$7.00  
Watches-Reliable time piece for  
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are long-winded  
time piece  
are stem winding  
and are without  
on the best cheap  
on the market. Try  
to be convinced.CONAVAN & CO.  
Jewelry and Silverware,  
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Underwear. Open 6:30 a.m.  
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LOCAL RAILROAD RECORD.  
THE EXPENSE IN  
RAILROAD OPERATION.WATER OUTLET TO PREVENT  
WATER ENCROACHMENT.INVESTIGATIONS NOW BEING MADE BY  
THE GEOLOGICAL SURVEY TO FIND PURE  
WATER AS TO OVERCOME THE DIFFICULTY.The difference between soft and  
hard water works to the disadvantage of  
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Black Spangled Robes at One-Half Price.

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You will find these specials in our south aisle.

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Astrakhan Fur Scarfs, stole effects, made of extra fine quality Astrakhan  
and silk lined. They are worth regularly \$7.50 each. On  
sale today at 50 per cent. regular prices.15 Black Spangled Robes to be sold at  
one-half price. They have extra full  
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## COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	MAX.	MIN.	MAX.	MIN.
Boston	36	16	20	12
Washington	30	20	20	12
Pittsburgh	30	20	20	12
Chicago	30	20	20	12
St. Louis	30	20	20	12
Los Angeles	30	20	20	12

"Below zero." The maximum is for December 27; the minimum for December 15. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 20.—Reported by George F. Kelvin, Local Forecaster. At 4 o'clock a.m. the pressure was 30.02, and the temperature 52°. The mercury for the corresponding hours showed 27° and 67°. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 6 per cent.; 5 p.m., 20 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 10 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 10 miles. Maximum temperature, 78°, day minimum, 22°, night. Barometer reduced to sea level.

**Weather Conditions.**—High pressure and cold weather continue west of the Mississippi River, and a low pressure is reported from Southern Utah to Northern Colorado. Clear, milder weather prevails in Southern California. The maximum temperature at Los Angeles, Sunday, was 80°; San Diego, 71°; San Fran., 61°. October 27, 1900. Heavy frost occurs in the San Joaquin Valley.

**Forecast.**—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair tonight and Tuesday.

**SAN FRANCISCO.**—Dec. 20.—Weather conditions and general forecast. The pressure continues to decrease. Pacific air, but the beginning of a disturbance is noted in the West. Washington coast. This storm may develop a southern extension. As far north as Tatoosh Island no rain has fallen over the western half of the country. The temperature continues above the normal generally throughout California. Forecast:

For Northern California: Fair Tuesday, except possibly light rain by night on the northern coast; light, breezy winds.

South California: Cloudy Tuesday; light, breezy winds.

Neve: Fair Tuesday; no quills cold.

San Fran. and vicinity: Cloudy Tuesday; light rain threatening at night; light north winds, changing to fresh southwest.

## Liners.

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## SPECIAL NOTICES

**STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.**—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Title Insurance and Trust Company will be held at the office of the company in the Abstract Block, No. 201 New High St., in the city of Los Angeles, on Tuesday, January 2, 1901, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of transacting the usual business of the company, and transacting such other business as may be come up at the meeting.

O. P. CLARK, Secretary.

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.**—An adjourned meeting of the stockholders of the Title Insurance and Trust Company will be held at the principal office of the company, room 400 and 411, Lankershim Blvd., Los Angeles, on Tuesday, January 2, 1901, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting, and for the purpose of adjourning the regular stockholders' meeting of the company for the 1st day of November, 1901. C. L. MARTIN, President, Los Angeles, Cal., December 20, 1900.

**REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEES** DESIRING TO REACH THE PUBLIC.—We invite all to come to the office of the Times, in order to have their business advertised after this will be to do so under a special heading of "To the Trade." Special requests made of those telephoning "Liners" to do so before 5 p.m. each night.

**WANTED—LEADERS TO LEARN** TO REPAIR ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES, blower heads and moth patches, with electric hair massage; also to give electric scalp treatment, and to repair hair and skin preparations; I guarantee to teach you how you will be able to go into business for yourself or for a partner, depending on your inclination. Address me at 10 a.m. beginning this week. PROF. C. C. MCKAY, 265 S. Broadway.

**WANTED—YOU TO SEE SOME OF GOOD** Embroidered gifts. 1900.

Bill stripes. 20¢.

Neat papers. 10¢.

We save you money on contracts. 20¢.

WOMEN'S STYLISH CARPET CLEANING WORKS.

Carpet cleaned and soiled same day.

20¢. Address W. F. BROWN, 205 S. Broadway.

**FOR RENT—BY M. C. COMPANY.**

125 S. FIFTH ST.

Bamboo blinds, windows and retail.

20¢.

**HOW IS YOUR CHANCE TO BUY** Furniture and carpets cheap at the great discount store of WILMANS BROS., 810 S. Broadway.

BUMPSUM VAPOR ELECTRIC AND TUB MASSAGE, and chiropody. 616 S. Spring St.

CALIFORNIA STATE CARPET CLEANING WORKS.

Carpet cleaned and soiled same day.

20¢. Tel. 205 S. Hill.

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MURRAY, 111 E. 17TH ST. GRAND AVE.SUNNY, NEW, MODERN FURN-  
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FURNISHED SUNNY ROOM, 111 E. 17TH ST.

AN ELEGANT LADY'S FURN-  
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TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, 111 E. 17TH ST.

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ROOM, 111 E. 17TH ST.IF YOU WANT A NICE ROOM,  
8. HOPE, NO CAR FARE.NEWLY FURNISHED SUNNY  
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SUNNY 5-ROOM UPPER PLAT-  
FORM, walking distance, above the famous  
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## THE CITY IN BRIEF.

## NEWS AND BUSINESS.

## New Trial Argued.

In the United States court a motion for a new trial was argued yesterday in the case of Vernon vs. the Southern Pacific Company. Argument will be continued today.

## Priscilla Change Location.

Rev. F. A. LeBelleguay, who has been assistant priest at the Old Plaza Church, has been sent to San Fernando by Bishop Conaty, to take the place of Father Burns, who goes to Yuma, Arizona, to spend the winter.

## Human Load Was Spilled.

Yesterday afternoon as Mrs. J. B. Johnson and daughter of Boyle Heights were driving in their car to the 21st and Main junction, one of the wheels was caught in the flanges of the car tracks and was shattered. The women were thrown out of the wagon and slightly injured.

## Fall From Horse.

Car Steamer, who lives with his family at the Palms, was taken to the Southern Hospital yesterday afternoon, suffering with a broken wrist. He is a painter and had fallen from a house upon which he was working, at the corner of Court street and Bunker Hill avenue.

## Won His Promotion.

W. B. Sturdivant has just received his appointment as general agent for Southern California for the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Ct. He is not new to the territory, but under his supervision, he has been an employee of the company and has won its spurs. Now he steps up and will supervise all the counties south of the Tehachapi.

## Holmes Wins.

Judge Olin W. Willborn, in the United States District Court yesterday, handed down his decision in the Holmes-Santa Fe damage case, which has been in the courts for many months. By its terms Laurette Holmes is awarded \$10,000 damages. Holmes is a Santa Fe engineer, and was severely injured in a collision near Franconia, November 20, 1901. Suit for \$50,000 damages was filed July 1, 1902, the plaintiff being represented by Attorneys Waters and Wyllie.

## Whose Wheel Is This?

The man prisoner in the City Jail who has confessed that he stole a bicycle and the wheel was recovered, but because the arresting officer cannot find the bicycle owner it is probable that the thief will have to be released. The prisoner is Frank Hodges.

He was arrested Saturday night by Patrolman Edwards after the latter had chased him a block and fired one shot at him. To the officer he confessed that he had stolen the wheel somewhere near Fortieth street.

## Preparing to Emerge.

W. M. Morgan & Walls are preparing for Isaac W. Hallman plans of a five-story brick business block which will probably be erected on the west side of Main street between Fourth and Fifth streets, and just east of the Van Noy's business building, on Spring street, now occupied by Baker & Son's furniture store. The building has been leased for five years from date of completion by the firm named. It is to be finished by September 1, and it will be connected with the firm's present establishment by bridges which will join the upper stories of the two structures.

## For Japanese.

The Christmas celebration of the Japanese M. E. mission was held in the First Methodist Church last evening. H. Yebihara occupied the chair. Rev. S. Ichihara, prayed in the Japanese language. It was not to be imagined in the land of the Mikado as you gazed into the numerous Japanese faces and observed the solemn manner of the Japanese speaker standing beneath the Stars and Stripes and the flag of his own country. Rev. H. O. Sayo spoke concerning the work of the mission. He is a young man, and pleased his audience very much. Presents were distributed after which Japanese views were thrown on the canvas with the stereo-.

## BREVITIES.

Real estate advertisers desiring to reach tourists and home seekers who contemplate coming to Southern California in the near future, will find the forthcoming Midwinter Number of The Times, to be issued December 28, 1903, a good medium in which to advertise. Rate for "Liners" in the Magazine parts will be 3 cents per word. Thousands of this number will be sent to their friends by citizens of the Southern City. Copy should be turned in not later than December 25.

Real estate advertisers and others: hereafter, all real estate and other classified "Want" advertisements for Sunday insertion must be in The Times office not later than 11 o'clock Saturday night. All other classified advertisements received after this hour will be printed under a special heading of "Too Late to Classify." Special request is made of those telephoning "Liners" to do so.

Telephone 7000. "Want" ads. to The Times. Special clerks are constantly in waiting at the other end of your phone to take your ad. Ring up any time of day or night. Sunset, Press 1; Home, Press 2.

Henry J. Kramer forms an adult tennis dancing class Monday evening, January 4, 1904, at 8:30 Grand ave., New Year's dinner at 1 and 6 p.m. Hotel Hollywood, 31.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Postal Telegraph Co. for H. O. Fortune, Pacific Trust and Co. and M. H. Whittier.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Western Union Telegraph Co. for Mrs. J. D. Kingman, Lawyer Rogers, C. A. Baldwin, Monroe E. Bechtel, J. L. Backett, W. A. Sutherland, Mrs. S. M. Groves, George D. Moore, Dr. W. H. Dickey, Dr. W. A. Dawson, Dr. Hale, Miss Anna Romig, H. O. Goe, Fred E. Burnell, John R. Black, Louis Hoskes, W. L. Stevenson, Dr. E. A. Clark, H. W. Marean.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued from the office of the County Clerk yesterday:

Mathias Miesen, aged 58, a native of Germany, and Annie Kealey, aged 40, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

Orlando J. Strouse, aged 21, a native of Michigan, and Grace Lorick, aged 21, a native of New York; both residents of Los Angeles.

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William Henry Chapman, aged 39, a

native of England, and Mary Edith Davis, aged 29, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

John J. Galvin, aged 31, a native of Ireland, and Mary Jane Reed, aged 49, a native of Missouri; both residents of Los Angeles.

Frank E. Gross, aged 25, a native of California, and Mary A. Mueller, aged 22, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

George Volla, aged 24, a native of Ohio, and Frances Flood, aged 24, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

John C. Lawson, aged 19, a native of Arkansas, and Anna M. Anderson, aged 18, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

Adrian P. C. Durkin, aged 23, a native of Indiana, and Agnes M. Morgan, aged 24, a native of Wales and resident of San Diego.

Woodrson, aged 25, a native of Minnesota, and Debie Aylva Van Domselaar, aged 26, a native of Minnesota; both residents of Los Angeles.

Guy Elmer Matteson, aged 23, a native of California, and Elisabeth Cuff, aged 21, a native of England; both residents of Los Angeles.

Nathan Hanson, aged 24, a native of Michigan, and Louise Perry Holmes, aged 19, a native of New York; both residents of Los Angeles.

Orville Goff, aged 24, a native of California, and Gladys L. Lockwood, aged 20, a native of South Dakota; both residents of Los Angeles.

## BIRTH RECORD.

EVANS—To the wife of Newton Evans, No. 243 South Flower street, December 27, a girl.

## DEATH RECORD.

BAIRD—In this city, December 27, 1902, George F. Baird, Funeral Tuesday afternoon at the undertakers of Orr & Hines under the direction of California Death Co. No. 276, F. and A. M. Blair.

BLAINE—In this city, December 27, 1902, L. A. Hooper, in Alabama, son of Mrs. L. A. Hooper, Funeral Tuesday afternoon at the home, Tauras day, in the Internment in San Gabriel Cemetery.

BLAINE—In Los Angeles, Saturday, December 27, 1902, Mrs. Walter Blaine, aged 61 months and 25 days. Funeral from Bethesda Presbyterian Church Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. (See paper please copy.)

BLAUGNIER—At No. 1847 East Seventh Street, December 27, 1902, Mrs. Blaughniere, widow of Walter Blaughniere, aged 80. Funeral at Bruce Bros. parlor, Sixth and Broadway, today at 2 o'clock.

BLAINE—In this city, December 27, 1902, William H. Blaine, aged 41 years. Funeral from Chapman & Hines, 240 South Hill street, Internment in the cemetery of the Knights of Columbus.

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## THE PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

## SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Council settled on the Washington street site for the Polytechnic High School yesterday.

Chief Elton was given six additional terms of life with the chain gang.

Two notices of sale of franchises were adopted by the Council.

Subpoenas for witnesses in the hearings of police officers before the Police Commission this week were issued yesterday.

The Council will determine today whether West Seventh street is to be sprinkled pending the final hearing of the injunction proceedings.

Mrs. Laura Grieote Hill is on trial before Judge Smith for attempting to bribe a witness in one of the Charles Hill cases.

The Ocean Park incorporation master was settled yesterday when the Board of Supervisors called an election for February 5.

The charge against E. J. Leech for violation of an ordinance was yesterday dismissed in the Police Court as the result of his having read Roosevelt's book.

AT THE CITY HALL.

WASHINGTON-STREET SITE FOR HIGH SCHOOL

COUNCIL FINALLY LOCATES THE NEW POLYTECHNIC.

Executive Session and Numerous Ballots Necessary to Determine the Question—Councilmen Inspected Site in a Body—Call for Plans.

The Polytechnic High School will be built on the Rowland property, fronting on Washington and Twentieth streets, between Flower street and Grand Avenue. The conclusion was reached by the Council late yesterday afternoon after an executive session, a personal inspection of the site, and numerous ballots in the committee room.

Councilman McAleer discovered on investigation that about 80 per cent. of his constituents could ride on the street cars within one block of the proposed site, and he was the first to change his vote. Nofsinger followed McAleer's lead, and the Council made the location and called the school on the Washington-street site.

The site offered for \$25,000 fronts 172 feet on Washington street, 176 feet on Twentieth street, and is 501 feet deep.

In addition to the Washington strip of land between the Rowland property and Barnard Park, which fronts on Washington street and is about 180 feet deep.

Although the price is not deemed excessive by the city, it may not be the property outside, but will condemn it. The Council has adopted that course in the purchase of school sites to avoid any scandals regarding the price paid for property.

The Attorney was ordered to begin the condemnation proceedings at once, and notice was given to architects to submit plans for the proposed school building.

Councilmen Bowen, Skilling, Parish, Todd, and Nofsinger voted for the Washington-street site; Davenport and Kern maintained their opposition to the end.

Davenport was very angry because Nofsinger and McAleer defected to the combination. Davenport said they were pledged to vote with him for the selection of the school site, and he was very bitter last night because the school had not been located in the Sixth Ward. He said he was the only member of the Council and a bitter-bitterness has been engendered that may have an important effect on future legislation.

If M. F. O'Dea had been willing to reduce the price on the present site to \$10,000 or \$15,000 the result might have been different. Both Todd and Nofsinger would have preferred to vote for that location, but the price was regarded as too great to be paid out of a \$500,000 bond issue.

In the executive session of the Committee of the Whole on the present site four to three for quite a time, Davenport, Nofsinger and Kern voting for the site, while W. H. Todd, Bowen, Skilling, Parish, Todd and for the Washington-street site, and McAleer refusing to vote. Site votes were required to settle upon a site.

Finally, in his last attempt to keep his support for a site in the Sixth Ward, Davenport took the Council to Twenty-first and Los Angeles street, where they inspected an entirely new site. The entire Council then visited the Rowland property and returned to the City Hall, where another executive session was had.

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### The Two Choissers Slept With Loaded Revolvers Under Their Pillows.

**The Detectives Would Have Been Killed if They Had Not Finished the Alleged Felons First—New Evidence Brought to Light Yesterday—Criminal Complaints to be Issued Today.**

**DETECTIVES COWEN AND MURPHY, WHO WERE SUSPENDED BY THE ARBITRARY ACTION OF THE MAYOR FOR THEIR PART IN THE KILLING OF THE CHOISERS, AT HOTEL BROOKLYN TEN DAYS AGO, ARE TO HAVE A HEARING IN COURT AT THEIR OWN REQUEST. THEY DEMAND THAT PUNISHMENT OR VINDICATION BE GIVEN THEM AT ONCE BY A LEGAL TRIBUNAL. COMPLAINTS WILL BE ISSUED TODAY. BUT THE INVESTIGATION OF THE CONDUCT OF THE SUSPENDED DETECTIVES IS BY NO MEANS, IN THERE INVOLVED.**

**THE FIGHT BETWEEN THE ENEMIES OF LAW AND ORDER, AND THOSE WHO WANT LOS ANGELES TO CONTINUE A DECENT AND PEACEFUL CITY IS ON TO A DEGREE, THE EQUAL OF WHICH HAS NEVER BEFORE BEEN ATTEMPTED IN LOS ANGELES.**

**IT IS WELL FOR THE GOOD CITIZENS OF LOS ANGELES TO WAKE UP TO THE FACT THAT THE DISORDERLY ELEMENTS OF THE CITY ARE MAKING, NOT THEIR GRAT, BUT THEIR FERCE, FIGHT FOR CONTROL OF THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPALITY.**

**NOT FAR BEHIND THE SURFACE OF THE PRESENT BATTLE AGAINST THE POLICE DEPARTMENT HAS THE REAL AND MOVING CAUSE. THE ATTACK IS NOT UPON COWEN AND MURPHY. THE UNFORTUNATE NECESSITY FORCED THEM UPON TO TAKE HUMAN LIFE HAS BEEN SEIZED, AND IS BEING USED AS A COVER TO THE REAL AND ULTIMATE DEIGNS OF CERTAIN PERSONS WHO SEEK TO MAKE THIS CITY WHAT THEY HAVE MADE IN SAN FRANCISCO.**

**IN SAN FRANCISCO THOSE HAVING CONTROL OF THE LOCAL POLICE DEPARTMENT HAVE MADE IT IMPOSSIBLE FOR A LAW-ABIDING CITIZEN TO DO BUSINESS FREELY AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH HIS RIGHTS. STORES ARE CLOSED BY THOSE WHO STAND UPON THE SIDEWALK AND SHOT BILLIONAIRES AT CUSTOMERS. MEN ARE BEATEN AND SHOT IN PLAIN VIEW OF THE OFFICERS OF THE LAW AND THERE IS NO INTERFERENCE. PEACEFUL CITIZENS ARE PREVENTED FROM FOLLOWING HONEST OCCUPATIONS AND WHAT PRACTICALLY AMOUNTS TO ANARCHY IS RAMPANT.**

**THE ELEMENTS WHICH HAVE MADE SAN FRANCISCO A HOTBED OF RIOT ARE NOW SEEKING TO PRODUCE THE SAME CONDITIONS HERE.**

**ADMINISTERED BY THE PRESENT CHIEF OF POLICE, THE LOCAL EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF LOS ANGELES HAS STOOD IN THE PAST FOR AN OPEN CITY AND A CITY WHERE ALL ALIKE MIGHT SEEK WORK, LIBERTY AND HAPPINESS. UNTIL THE POLICE DEPARTMENT IS CONTROLLED BY THE DISORDERLY AND THE RIOTOUS, NOTHING CAN BE DONE BY THEM.**

**THE UNFORTUNATE CHOISER AFFAIR IS SEIZED UPON AS AN EXCUSE, IN THE HOPE THAT AMID THE HUE AND CRY RAISED THE CONTROL OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT MAY BE STOLEN.**

**IT IS EXPECTED THAT TODAY A COMPLAINT WILL BE ISSUED BY THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY AND FILED IN A MAGISTRATE'S COURT, CHARGING THE SUSPENDED OFFICERS, MURPHY, COWEN AND HAWLEY, WITH MURDER. THE OFFICERS AND THEIR ATTORNEYS EXPRESS THEMSELVES AS IF REJOICING AT THE OPPORTUNITY THAT AFFORDS THEM TO HAVE HEARD IN A COURT OF LAW. IN THIS MEAN, THE FACTS CAN BE INVESTIGATED IN A LEGAL WAY, AND THE WITNESSES EXAMINED, NOT ONLY AS PART, BUT BY THOSE SKILLED IN SUCH MATTERS, AND THE WHOLE TRUTH ASCERTAINED.**

**YESTERDAY MORNING DIST-ATTY. FREDERICKS, HIS DEPUTY, MR. JAMES, ACCOMPANIED BY DETECTIVE LONGFELLOW, EARL RODGERS AND LE COMPTÉ DAVIS, REPRESENTING THE SUSPENDED OFFICERS, VISITED THE SCENE OF THE TRAGEDY, REOPENED THE CLOSED ROOM IN WHICH THE FIRST SHOOTING OCCURRED, DUG THE PUTTY OUT OF THE BULLET HOLES IN THE WALLS, SOAKED THE PAPER FROM THE PLASTER WHERE IT COVERED THE ALLEGED BLOOD SPOTS, REMOVED THE BURNED VARNISH WITH BENZINE, TO FIND THE DEPTH OF THE PUNGER BURN, HEARD THE STORIES OF SEVERAL WITNESSES ON THE SCENE, AND, OTHERWISE MADE A DAY OF IT. DETECTIVE LONGFELLOW LOST A PAIR OF BEAUTIFUL EYEBROWS FROM THE ACCIDENTAL BURNING OF A RAG SOAKED WITH BENZINE, WITH WHICH HE WOULD SOAK THE ALLEGED BLOOD SPOTS; BUT OTHERWISE THE OPPONING COUNSEL SEEMED TO GET ALONG PEACEFULLY.**

**AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE VISIT, AND AFTER CONSULTATION AMONG THE ATTORNEYS, EVIDENTLY BY AGREEMENT, IT WAS ANNOUNCED THAT DIST-ATTY. FREDERICKS THAT A COMPLAINT DOUBTLESS WOULD BE ISSUED AND A PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION HELD, IN ORDER THAT THE SUSPENDED OFFICERS MIGHT EITHER BE VINDICATED OR DISMISSED PROMPTLY, AND THAT THE PUBLIC MIGHT LEARN THE REAL FACTS OF THE CASE.**

**SOFAR AS THE INVESTIGATION YESTERDAY DISCLOSED, THERE WAS NOTHING TO DISCREDIT THE EIGHT OFFICERS OF THE POLICE. BUT DIST-ATTY. FREDERICKS AND THE ATTORNEYS FOR THE SUSPENDED OFFICERS AGREED THAT IT WAS ALIKE JUSTICE TO THE OFFICERS THEMSELVES AND TO THE PUBLIC, AT LARGE, THAT ALL MYSTERY AND SUSPENSE BEING CLEARED UP IN A JUDICIAL INVESTIGATION, HELD IN A LAWFUL MANNER, AND WHERE THE WITNESSES SHOULD TESTIFY UNDER OATH WITH THE TESTS OF CROSS-EXAMINATION.**

**OFFICERS CONFIDENT.** **AT THIS INVESTIGATION THERE WILL BE PROVIDED FOR THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY ALL THE TESTIMONY WHICH HE WOULD NEED, AND THERE IT WILL BE FOUND OUT SPEEDILY AND FINALLY HOW MUCH THERE IS TO IT. THE RESULT OF THIS INVESTIGATION THE OFFICERS SAY MUST CLEAR UP IN THE EYES OF ALL GOOD CITIZENS, OF ANY BLAME AND SELFISHNESS OF THE BURDEN OF MISREPRESENTATION UNDER WHICH PARTISAN AND FALSE ACCOUNTS HAVE PLACED THEM.**

**CHOISER'S BULLET.** **THE INVESTIGATION YESTERDAY DISCLOSED A BULLET HOLE IN THE DOOR MADE BY THE SHOT YOUNG CHOISER FIRED FROM THE CLOSET AT OFFICER HAWLEY AS THE OFFICER CAME OUT WITH THE ELDER CHOISER IN THE PROCESS OF THE LATTER'S REVOLVER. IT DISCLOSED THE MARKS ON THE DOOR CASING MADE BY COWEN'S REVOLVER WHEN HIS HAND CONTAINING HIS WEAPON WAS VIOLENTLY CAUGHT BY THE CLOSET DOOR. IT DISCLOSED THE HOLE MADE IN THE WALL BY THE SHOT OF THE YOUNG CHOISER WHEN HE TRIED TO KILL MURPHY AT THE CORNER OF THE HALL. AND OTHER DISCLOSURES WERE MADE WHICH WILL**

**SEEM TO ME, TO VIEW THIS CASE AS ONE WHERE THE OFFICERS DID THE DUTY WHICH UNFORTUNATE NECESSITY FORCED UPON THEM.**

**SOME PEOPLE SAY THAT CHOISER MUST HAVE THOUGHT THE OFFICERS WERE ROBBERIES, AND MADE NO DIFFERENCE AT ALL.**

**QUICK AS OBTAINING HIS GRAB, HIS ANOTHER SECOND HE GRABBED HIS MAN. SHOT. ALL THE OFFICERS KNEW WAS THAT THEY WERE BEING FIRED UPON BY THE MEN WHOM THE SHERIFF OF HARDIN COUNTY HAD PROCLAIMED AS THE CHOISERS. THE OFFICERS COULDN'T WAIT TO ASCERTAIN WHAT FOUNDATION THE SHERIFF HAD FOR HIS DEMAND. EVEN IF CHOISER WERE GOING TO BE MARRIED OR POSSIBLY BUY A PROPERTY, THE LAW HAD ORDERED THEM TO DO IT.**

**THE LAW AND THE OFFICERS OBSERVED, THEY WERE FIRED UPON. WITH CHOISER STRUGGLING FOR HIS REVOLVER AND HIS SON FIRING THERE WAS NO TIME FOR THE OFFICERS TO THINK OF MATRIMONY, UNLESS THEY WERE GOING TO GET MARRIED. IF THE PEOPLE ARE NOT CARRIED OFF THEIR FEET BY ONE-SIDED ACCOUNTS AND WILL WAIT, CALM AND CONSIDERATE PUBLIC OPINION WILL VINDICATE THE TRUTH IN THE END.**

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## Los Angeles County: Yesterday's Events in Its Cities and Towns.

[NEWS REPORTS FROM TIMES CORRESPONDENTS.]

## PASADENA FARMERS MEET IN INSTITUTE.

## INTERESTING SUBJECTS BEFORE THE GATHERING.

Book of Entries for Rose Tournament Contests—Management Entertained at Dinner—Children's Training School Christmas—Paine and Goss.

PASADENA, Office of The Times, No. 9 South Raymond avenue, Dec. 29.—The annual meeting of the Southern California branch of the University Farmers' Institute opened this afternoon at Recital Hall, No. 112 West Colorado street, and will continue through this evening and tomorrow. These meetings, that are held twice a year, are part of the University extension movement, which is carried to the farmers. The object of the movement is to promote agriculture and horticulture and to show where labor can be saved and methods of cultivation and production improved.

G. Bowen, president of the Pasadena Farmers' Club, opened the meeting, as Prof. A. J. Cook of Chatsworth, the university representative, was unable to be present.

There was an elaborate program.

A few words of greeting were introduced by Mayor Vedder, who gave the address of welcome, dwelling at some length on the importance of the work in which the farmers are engaged, and also speaking of the benefits to be derived from these annual meetings.

President: Attilio Goss, of the Beach.

Secretary of the Apple Growers' Association of Los Angeles, and its organization and work, and an interesting talk on "Apples, with a history of the development of fruits in Southern California. It is considered one of the best authorities on apples in the State, and, said, among other things, that while apples in the stores are grown in America, the best apples of America are grown in California. This sounds like a broad statement, perhaps, but it is true, after the London Apple Show, it is said, that London apples could not compete with apples from all over the world. The outlook for the extension of the apple industry is very bright, as the twelfth of the series of the Apple Show.

The program: "The Farmer is at home and the profits will go into the hands of the producers, not of the transportation companies."

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NEWS TRIMMINGS.

The city is dressed in her holiday attire. A large gang of men were busy all day yesterday under the superintendence of D. W. Herlihy, decorating the poles along the line of march with American flags and red and white tournament pennants. This proves an attractive beginning and it is safe to say that when the palm branches and greenery are put in place that the streets of Pasadena will look better than ever.

Members of the Pasadena Chess Club are pleased to learn that at a meeting of the Chicago Chess Club Dr. A. G. Paine of the local club was invited to march and was one of the three out of fifteen who won from Pittsburg, the champion of America.

The city taxes became delinquent January 1. Up to date, there has been collected at the City Hall only a trifle over \$50,000 out of a total of \$177,000.

The dog catcher has given up his round-ups for the present and you may turn loose the purple purp.

The Catholics will serve dinner on New Year's Day in the church parlor, North Fair Oaks avenue, corner Walnut street.

H. C. Baker, Clarence: "Economic Entomology," C. A. Day, Pasadena: "Direct Legislation," George H. Dunlap, Hollywood: "Ornamentation of Streets and Highways," Ernest Brauton, Glendale: "Humors," Prof. C. F. Baker, Glendale: "The Executive Armament," Mrs. Foytelle Grinnell, Pasadena: CITY COMMISSIONERS.

The City Commissioners yesterday sustained Chief Freeman's action in suspending Policeman E. L. Rogers on Christmas day and accepted Rogers's resignation. Chief Freeman was authorized to place a policeman at the corner of Fair Oaks and Colorado street, and the following were appointed to special duty in the police department for New Year's Day: Scott Hesly, Ernest Daniels, C. H. Davis, Arthur McClure, J. O. Houghman, Chapman, G. A. Erbs, Ralph Haynes, Fred Norton, William Booth, Charles J. Thomas, John Hamilton, Arthur Hamilton, S. L. Wallace, W. H. Webster, William Strothers, J. G. Wagner, G. A. Berry, W. H. Coping, Will Clark. In the fire department the following changes were made: W. G. Williams, a ladder-truck driver, to the Dayton-street house; to captain chemical engine, Villa-street station; C. B. Walters, callman at Dayton-street house to hoseman at Villa-street station; G. S. Barrett, from extra driver to driver of ladder truck at Dayton-street house.

MANY ENTRIES.

Entries for the various events which are to take place in Tournament Park on the afternoon of New Year's Day have come in so ready that the meet is assured to be a success. In the racehorses' race there are five entries: the flat race, five; the 220-yard polo-pony dash, five; the light harness trotting race, five, and the pony race, five. It is expected that there will be additional entries to all of these events. The racing portion of the meet will be under the wing of the best experts of the day. It is to be one-half mile, and the following lads have signed up to contest: Guy Cruckshank, O. Barnard, Carl Stebbie, Ed McCament and one other.

The four entries in the chariot race are a sure go, and if there is sufficient time four races will be run in this event alone, the winners of the first two drawings to run for first and second place, and the others contenting for third and fourth places. Prizes are of equal value and so this fourth race may not be run.

The management emphasizes the fact that the first and second place will be awarded, and that tickets of admission to the park are good for the entire day. It is hoped that the majority of people who go out there in the forenoon will be in time to see the races.

The Hollywood Sentinel has been granted the contract for city printing for the year.

The City Trustees have passed a resolution to accept no streets which are not graded and gravelled.

Miss Zusa de Longpré gave a delightful Christmas party to twenty of her little friends Saturday afternoon.

The City Trustees have passed an order that the park is good for the entire day.

The management has given the best of the prizes will be awarded, and only the best will be charged. The names of the grand stand will be placed

on sale at the Sun Drug Company at 10 o'clock this morning, and are \$1 at the ends of the grand stand, \$1 in the center, and \$2 for box. The boxes will hold six people.

TOURNAMENT DINNER.

The Executive Committee of the Tournament of Roses was entertained at dinner at the Maryland last night by the manager, D. M. Linnard. These public-spirited citizens who have held many sessions far into the night planning for the most eventful grand pageant of the year, were greatly appreciated by the courtesy of Mr. Linnard's hospitality and well they might, for nothing was left undone which might have added to the pleasure of the visitors. The dinner was designed in the tournament colors, red and white, the idea being carried out with a profusion of brilliant pointsettias banked about a large cut-glass fruit dish and punch vase. The table was entirely set with white, with napkins under the red-shaded lights in a dazzling manner. The menu cards were dainty handiwork, with flower girls on the cover and a long, long list of good things in the course of the dinner. The gentlemen, who were seated in a private room, where regularly for the reception-room and the children's nursery, were cleared of their usual adornments, and in place of these were the daintiest Christmas trees, put up by Mr. Waterhouse, which was almost hidden by toys and presents for the children. The decorations, done by Mrs. Adams and Mrs. R. E. Brink, were in full bloom, the dining room being the two rooms being transformed into an arch of greenery by their skillful fingers.

In one room the invited guests, numbering about fifty, enjoyed the picture of the children gathered around the Christmas tree as they presented their interesting programme, which was as follows: "Joy to the World," song, Misses Burgess and Mabel Woolf; "Christmas Carol," Chester Garwood; "Uncle Skinflint's Christmas Gift," reading, Gertrude Powell; "Christmas," Pearl Ray; "A Guest for the Children," Anna Powell; "Christmas Bells," Mrs. Mabel Hattie and Lethe Woolf; "Early Christmas Morning," Ruby Ray; "What Santa Claus Thinks," George Woolf; "Santa Claus," song, Lethe Woolf; "The Children's Program," Mrs. Woolf; "Santa Claus Sat All Alone in His Den," the children.

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## EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

LAST evening was made the occasion of a gay and festive scene among the members of the younger dancing coterie, when Zeta Chapter of Gamma Eta Kappa Fraternity gave a pretty party at Kramer's Hall, on South Grand avenue.

This party has usually been given in June, but on account of the convention or conclude being held here at Christmas, they waived custom, and put forth their best efforts to make the dance a success, which it was, so says every member of the young set. In the upper hall banners were used, together with potted plants. The banners were all unlike, each one representing a different chapter, some were red and others green, giving the hall a gay appearance.

Downstairs, where an elaborate banqueting room was used, the gay mass of waving pennants and ribbons, the lights were shaded with red, and the tables were made gay by scarlet holly berries massed all along the center of the long banqueting halls. There were about 300 invitations issued, and the affair was thoroughly enjoyed by the young dancing set.

Highland Park Wedding.

Miss Elizabeth Brown and D. R. Shrode were married last Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr.

and Mrs. George Brown of Highland Park. The Rev. Walter Hall Doggett of the Church of the Angels performed the ceremony. Owing to the illness of the bride's parents, the wedding was postponed to the 25th, one only a few friends being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Shrode are spending their honeymoon at Riverside, but will make their home in Highland Park.

Theater Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Liddell entertained a box party for the Masons.

Openings on Christmas night. After the show supper was served at the Angels' Cafeteria. Those who enjoyed Mr.

and Mrs. Liddell's hospitality were Miss Kathryn Wayer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Liddell, Mr. and Mrs. F. Liddell and A. H. Wollacott.

Welcomed Home.

Mrs. Paul Case, who has been visiting her daughters in Austria, Or.

and Wash. for several months, and

who has recently returned to her home on South Figueroa street, was given a delightful reception on Saturday evening by her many friends. Music, both solo and group, and a solo vocal, and, later, delicious refreshments were served. A most happy evening was spent by the jolly crowd.

China One Hundred Years Old.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Davenport of No. 1267 Hidalgo street entertained on Christmas Day in honor of their fifty-sixth wedding anniversary, with a dinner to a few friends. One of the interesting features of the dinner was the use of the old China. The guests partook of the viands had graced the tables on weddings days one hundred years ago.

Mr. Davenport is 80 years of age, and is a member of the Rev. John Davy, who was the first settler in New Haven Colony.

Those who enjoyed Mr. and Mrs. Davenport's hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. William Jones, Mrs. May Platt, Mrs. John Williams and Miss Elizabeth Jones.

Evening Marriage.

Last evening at 7 o'clock, Miss Glenn L. Lockwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lockwood of No. 1729 Los Angeles street, was married to Dr. Charles E. Lyman.

On the evening of the bride's grandmother's fifty-first wedding anniversary, Mrs. William M. Brooke.

The room in which the ceremony was performed was decorated in green and white, and covered with a white screen of silk, and a white satin ribbon, over which swung a wedding bell of white carnations. The parlor was prettily trimmed in green and greenery. Dr. Robert Fisher of the Central Methodist Church performed the ceremony, and the sister of the bride, Mrs. M. B. Young, rendered the Lothérain wedding march, and "Promise Me" during the ceremony. Only a few friends and relatives were present.

The bride was beautifully attired in blue sateen, with a hat of maline, decked with violets. She carried a huge bouquet of California violets in her hand.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gould left for their own home in Ocean Park. Mr. Gould is connected with the firm of Easton, Ellridge & Co.

Another Christmas Tree.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Johnson of No. 942 West Eighth street entertained a party of married friends on Christmas eve, with a Christmas tree, loaded with goodies, afforded much enjoyment, after which music and games were indulged in. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

Masquerade Party.

Miss Letta Morrison of No. 125 West Adams street entertained in honor of the Misses May and Sarah Morgan of Denver, Colo., with an attractive and informal masquerade party last evening. Many unique costumes were seen: among them, a girl in a Spanish costume, Dolly Varden, and May Morgan, in a black lace dress over gold-colored satin, represented "All is not Gold that Glitters." Miss Sarah Morgan was dressed as the Queen of Hearts, while Miss Letta was the costume of a Spanish girl. There were many other charming and original costumes.

The house was prettily decorated in gold and red crepe paper, festooned in gold and red crepe paper, the green grass and pointsettias gave an added grace to the decorations. Harp and violin music and rendered for the dancing, and at a late hour refreshments were served from the buffet.

The young ladies present, with Miss Morrison, were the Misses Morgan, Octavia Cobb, Mamie Young, Helen Layton and Miss Letta Willard.

There were about thirty guests who enjoyed Miss Morrison's hospitality.

Van Nuys Party.

The younger set were entertained with a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. I. N. Van Nuys of No. 1445 West Sixth street last evening. The affair was in honor of Miss Kate Van Nuys and Bent Van Nuys, and was the occasion of a happy reunion for the young folks, as many of them have returned from school for the holidays.

The house was beautifully decorated on the lower floor with pointsettias, jardinières standing on the floor, here and there the graceful Boston fern was used in baskets, hung about the rooms and halls in artistic profusion. On the tables, where delicious refreshments were served, basketfuls of greenery, including bright green and red, among the shining linen and cut glass. There were about sixty invited guests, and the dance was one of the happiness of affairs for the younger set.

Informal Wedding.

There was a pretty, informal wedding on Christmas night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Reynolds, on South Grand avenue, when Miss Evelyn K. Miller was married to F. H. Hirsch, Rev. Dr. Day performing the ceremony. The decorations were in keeping with the Christmas season, being of red and green. A few intimate friends were present, and the happy pair were the recipients of many beautiful gifts.

Mr. Dalton Hirsch will spend their honeymoon at Catalina, and after February 1 will be at home to their friends at No. 942 West Sixth street, Los Angeles.

Another Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harlow of No. 900 South Union avenue entertained on Christmas Day with a pretty and gay dinner. The house was bright with holly and mistletoe, and on the table sprays of the red berries shone on the white damask.

The guests were Mrs. Harlow, Mrs. Rachel Harlow and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Eaton.

For Miss Bowers.

Mrs. W. E. Chamberlain, at her beautiful home, No. 163 Wadsworth avenue, Ocean Park, entertained yesterday for her guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Bowers. A dinner luncheon was served and the decorations were pointsettias exclusively, and pointsettia-decorated place cards. The other guests were Misses Johanna Melony,

Maggie Barclay, Nellie Fitzpatrick, Priscilla Butterfield and Katherine Rowan. After luncheon the young ladies enjoyed an afternoon at bowling.

Philethia Club Entertains.

On Christmas night the members of the Philethia Club entertained with an Orpheum party, after which they enjoyed an elaborate supper at Christopher's, on Broadway. They had as their guest some of their girl friends, and a merry evening was spent. The club's next dance will be held at Kramer's Hall on Friday evening, January 8, 1912.

Highland Park Wedding.

Miss Elizabeth Brown and D. R. Shrode were married last Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown of Highland Park. The Rev. Walter Hall Doggett of the Church of the Angels performed the ceremony. Owing to the illness of the bride's parents, the wedding was postponed to the 25th, one only a few friends being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Shrode are spending their honeymoon at Riverside, but will make their home in Highland Park.

Theater Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Liddell entertained a box party for the Masons.

Openings on Christmas night. After the show supper was served at the Angels' Cafeteria. Those who enjoyed Mr.

and Mrs. Liddell's hospitality were Miss Kathryn Wayer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Liddell, Mr. and Mrs. F. Liddell and A. H. Wollacott.

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FOURTH FLOOR

# \$40,000 Reduction Sale of Cloaks and Suits

Tomorrow is the third day of this great sale, and if the business is in proportion to what it has been the two days, many of you who are thinking of coming in later in the week are sure to be disappointed in getting what you want, for such values go in a twinkling.

**\$30.00 Fur Capes**—electric seal and astrakhan; 16 to 24 inches long; have heavy satin linings; all full skins and are in every way worth from \$25.00 to \$30.00. Offered for this reduction sale at, \$15.00

**\$7.50 Jackets**—This is a lot of odd sizes in women's and misses' jackets; short styles; colors tan, blue, black or brown. Regular \$7.50 values, reduced to.....\$1.95

**\$15.00 Kersey Jackets**—These are either tan or castor of a good grade Kersey in the nubby short length; have heavy satin linings; are either fly front or double breasted with strapped or stitched seams. \$15.00 values, reduced to.....\$4.95

**\$20.00 Tailored Suits**—All wool fancy mixtures of plain Cheviots—have three-quarter length coats, plain or blouse style, and are silk or satin lined. Have fly or instep length unlined skirts. Regular \$20.00 values, reduced to.....\$9.98

**\$49.00 Velvet Suits**—Fine velvet suits among the most stylish for street wear; have three-quarter jackets with deep capes; are trimmed with stitched Taffeta and gilt buttons. Original price \$49.00 Reduced to.....\$14.95

**\$5.00 Walking Skirts**—About 500 all wool Walking Skirts—popular fancy mixtures with hairline stripes. A large assortment of styles. Regular \$5.00 values \$2.50

**\$95.00 Costumes**—Some of Crepe de Chine in light blue, black or white; also black and navy costumes of wool Voile. Both lines are handsomely trimmed with lace and ribbons and are all made over taffeta foundations. Original price \$95.00. Now.....\$49.00

# \$40,000 Reduction Sale Dress Goods and Silks.

With two sales of equal proportion representing a total of \$80,000 in merchandise marked down to a margin that will just about cover our expenses above cost, you should be able to make some purchases which will save you at least one-third to one-half what you would pay in a regular way.

**\$1.50 Black Dress Goods**—25 pieces of plain and fancy weaves, rough and smooth; including 32x36 Panamas Cloth, 32x36 Grenadine, 46x46 nub Mistral, 32x36 Cheviot—all of them regular \$1.50, graded, reduced.....\$9c

**75c 27-inch Wool Waistings**—good assortment of patterns and colors in blue, pink, cream and black ground; with fancy lace and corded stripes and are in Granite, Prunella and Sprig weaves. Sold up to now at 75c. Reduced to.....\$29c

**52c 25-inch Wool Twists**—a chec line of suitings in fancy mixed Twells. Twists with colored nubs, mixtures in blue and black ground; shot with white; also flax effect mixtures; width 48 to 54 inches. Sold up to now at 52c. Reduced to.....\$29c

**88c Wash Silks**—pink, blue, red, green, gray, lavender and maize, with fancy printed Persian stripes interspersed between cords; a'st' cream corded and fancy embroidered lace a ripe wash silks. All pure silk w'k. Sold up to now at 88c. Price reduced to.....\$35c

**51c Black Moire Velour**—Antique pattern Small and large effect; crisp, metallic finish weave which will give very satisfactory wear. Sold up to now at 51c. Reduced to.....\$69c

**51c Black Peau de Soie**—A very fine grade light weight; satin finished face; silk back strictly pure silk; 27 inches wide. Sold up to now at \$1.2. Reduced to.....\$1.00

## \$1.25 Kid Gloves Per Pair 95c.

2-clasp Kid Gloves—black, white and most popular street shades; are cable sewed; made with three rows of silk embroidery on back and every pair warranted. Actuall y worth \$1.25. Featured.....95c

## 35c and 45c Fancy Boxes at 10c.

To get rid of the lot quickly we offer a large assortment of handkerchiefs, glove and necktie boxes—floral and letter embossed with fancy glazed paper cover. Those which have sold during the holidays at 35c and 45c are now at 10c. For the one day, choice.....10c

## Women's Hose 3 for 50c.

Plain black cotton hose—Hermoso—dyed; made double sole, heel and toe are the kinds which usually sell at 25c. We offer just 25c pairs at 3 pairs for.....50c

## Pepperell Sheeting Per Yard 17c.

As a Tuesday offer we offer two cases of unbleached Pepperell sheeting—22 yards wide; wash easily; wears well and is sold the country over at 22c. For the one day, special lot at.....17c

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LIVE STOCK ASSOCIATION.

The annual conventions of the National Live Stock Association and of the National Wool Growers will be held in Portland, Or., January 11 to 15, 1912.

The meetings are of great importance to those concerned, and a large attendance is looked forward to.

Mr. Lewis C. Carlyle of No. 1725 West Adams street entertained with a family dinner on Christmas Eve.

He told what happened to another bridge like that. He said it was washed out with one hundred yards of track, ties, rails and all. The track was laid in the middle of his ranch.

Chief Engineer Pillsbury of the railroad company had a few words to say in defense of his bridge. He said it has been the largest opening of any bridge that he has known, and he said that the driftwood would pass it.

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